

## TWENTY-TWO ARMY CORPS OF FINNISH TROOPS LOSE HARD BATTLE IN PRUSSIA

**Austrians Resume Offensive Operations  
In Galicia But One Legion Is Beaten  
After Sanguinary Conflict With Divi-  
sion of Czar's Mighty Cossack Invaders**

LONDON, September 12.—(Associated Press by Federal Wireless)—A Reuters despatch from Berlin states that an announcement was made in the German capital yesterday of the defeat of a strong Russian force on the border of East Prussia at Lyck. The Russian force consisted of twenty-two army corps of Finnish troops, which the Germans met on the line and signally defeated, driving the invaders back towards Bialystok. A despatch from Copenhagen confirms this defeat of the Russians in East Prussia; the Reuters correspondent there stating that the German armies led by Generals von Beneckendorff and von Heidenburg, met and drove back an invading army, entering East Prussia from the south to join the main Russian army investing Königsburg. This defeat cuts the Russian line to the south and opens the way for an offensive German movement against the Russian rear.

### PETROGRAD REPORTS VICTORY NEAR LYCK

Petrograd says nothing about any battle at Lyck but reports the defeat of the Germans near Mysinec and Chorzele, repulsing the enemy with heavy losses. Chorzele is a short distance southwest of Lyck and is just on the Russian-German border.

These advices also say that the Russians took Oppole and Taurbaine by assault and pursued the Germans twenty-five miles. The Russian cavalry is still driving the retreating troops.

### AUSTRIANS RESUME OFFENSIVE OPERATIONS

It is reported from Vienna that the Austrians in Galicia have resumed the offensive and hopes are entertained that a forward movement will be made towards Lemberg, for the reconquest of that capital.

From Paris comes a late announcement which says the Austrian army at Lemberg was repulsed in spite of having been heavily reinforced.

The Russians are now besieging Grojec near Rawa in Poland. The second Austrian army was defeated at Tomaszow which was captured after a sanguinary conflict.

The Russians have separated the left wing of the Austrian army from the troops operating in the vicinity of Tomaszow.

## DISASTER FOLLOWS AUSTRIAN FORCES

LONDON, September 12.—(Associated Press by Federal Wireless)—Reports received from Petrograd and Nish tell of continued successes by Russians and Servians against Austria. The Servians, according to their reports, have driven back the Austrians bombarding Belgrade and have crossed the Danube at Belgrade, occupying the Austrian city of Semlin.

The Servians also have crossed the river Save into Bosnia, at Schabatz and Obrenovats, and assumed the offensive in the direction of Visegrad, which is located on the Drina river about twenty miles southwest of Sarajevo.

### RUSSIANS ADVANCE IN BUKOWINA

Petrograd advices are that the Russian force which has been occupying Czernowitz, the capital of the Austrian imperial province of Bukowina, had advanced south to the Roumanian border, occupying the towns of Suczawa and Hatna.

### AUSTRIA IS BOUND TO STICK

COPENHAGEN, Denmark, September 11.—German papers are publishing declarations that Austria agreed before the outbreak of war not to make peace unless with the consent of Germany.

## GERMANS RETREAT BEFORE BELGIANS

LONDON, September 12.—(Associated Press by Federal Wireless)—The Belgian aggressive movement against the German right was continued yesterday, resulting in the reconquest of the city of Termonde by the Belgians. A Reuters despatch says that the Germans were not driven out, however, before they had almost completely destroyed the city, after having thoroughly sacked it.

There were severe engagements at Termonde and Orenbargen, in both clashes the Germans being driven back, with the loss of many killed, wounded and prisoners.

The retreating Germans carried with them, in evacuating Termonde, a number of leading persons of the city as prisoners. At many points throughout Belgium the German lines of communication are being threatened.

Official advices from Antwerp say that the provinces of Lemberg, Antwerp and almost all of eastern Flanders are entirely free of Germans.

Despatches to the Daily Chronicle from Ghent say that the Germans are in dire straits from lack of food and are pushing a column of from 40,000 to 60,000 men towards Courtrai, evidently expecting to revictual in the region of Denade Oude, where the harvest has been exceptionally good.

### Upper Alsace Evacuated

ROME, September 12.—(Associated Press by Federal Wireless)—The evacuation of Upper Alsace to Strassburg and Metz is reported in confidential advices from Berlin. These advices say that the German army in France is extremely fatigued, while the Allies continually receive fresh reinforcements.

## POWER OF TURKEY IN EGYPT BROKEN BY GREAT BRITAIN

CAIRO, September 12.—(Associated Press by Federal Wireless)—All right of suzerainty by Turkey in Egypt was swept away yesterday when the British military authorities here invited the German and Austrian diplomatic agents to leave the country, which they did at once, without protest to the Khedive, to whom they were accredited.

The British have assumed sovereignty over Egypt by this move and the country will probably never be listed again as a dependency of the Turks.

### Powers Refuse Turkish Demands

PARIS, September 12.—(Associated Press by Federal Wireless)—The Rome correspondent of the Havas News Agency says that despatches from Constantinople have been received announcing that the foreign ambassadors to the Porte, including the German representative, have notified the Sultan that the Powers could not accept the abolition of the treaty rights now accorded foreigners within the Turkish dominions.

### Balkans Show Their Teeth

LONDON, September 11.—(Associated Press by Federal Wireless)—The Daily Telegraph publishes today a message from its Rome correspondent saying that Roumania, Greece, and Bulgaria have signed a pact to interfere if Turkey joins Germany in war. They will remain neutral if Turkey be neutral.

## Cavalry Wholly Destroyed and Artillery and Ammunition Captured, While Center of Kaiser's Line Also Gives Way, Shattered and In Disorderly Retreat

LONDON, September 12.—(Associated Press by Federal Wireless)—"A great disaster has overtaken us," reads a portion of a wireless message sent to Berlin by a German general in France, which was intercepted yesterday by the Allies.

This message reads further:

"We are badly in need of horses and supplies."

This news confirms the official despatches from Paris which say the German right wing has been entirely crushed and the remnants are retreating in disorder while the center is also retreating.

The German cavalry has been entirely destroyed, and a large part of the artillery and ammunition trains captured, together with huge numbers of the rank and file, who were cut off.

### TEUTON INFANTRY HIDES IN WOODS

Considerable bodies of German infantry were found hiding in the woods, where they were left in the hasty retreat of the army. They surrendered at sight of the opposing troops.

Some of them have been without food for days. Drunkenness among the prisoners and rifled villages along the line of retreat indicate their complete demoralization.

The Germans have abandoned great quantities of ammunition and stores, and many wounded are being left behind by the retreating forces.

The British have captured eleven guns and 1500 prisoners.

### KAISER'S FRONT ALSO GIVES WAY

The Germans have given in along the front between Sezanne and Reims and are retreating rapidly in disorder east of Soissons. There is no change in Lorraine and in the Vosges Mountains.

According to advices from France there is no doubt that the tide of battle has turned and that the German coup has failed. An English officer of the aviation corps is quoted as saying:

"It will be a miracle if any of the Germans get home again."

There will be no siege of Paris and the French government can safely return from Bordeaux.

## Washington Advices Contradict

WASHINGTON, September 12.—(Associated Press by Federal Wireless)—At the German embassy yesterday it was officially announced that the German left wing held its own against the Allies for two days and captured fifty guns and several thousand prisoners, finally retreating before superior numbers, and that the enemy failed to pursue.

The French embassy announces that the marked advance against the German right continues and that the Allies have advanced in places from thirty-six to forty-seven miles. There is no confirmation that Maubeuge has fallen. According to embassy officials its garrison was not half as large as the Germans reported captured.

### Local Consul Hears Victory

Georg Rodiek, the German consul general for Hawaii, received the following cablegram yesterday from a reliable informant in the United States, which is considered by Mr. Rodiek to be authentic:

"The German right wing (in France) has been ordered to 'retreat' for strategic reasons, whereby some losses were suffered through separation of several detachments, while the German center is advancing satisfactorily between Sezanne and Mailli and the left wing near Vitry.

"Maubeuge, the southwest forts of Verdun, and Fort Genicourt have fallen. New reinforcements are sent for a decisive battle.

"The attack by Alsace-Lorraine army is steadily progressing.

"The situation in East Prussia is very satisfactory. The east army has encroached on the Russians and forced them to retire on Niemen, while southwest Poland is now occupied by Germany and Austria."

## Protests Entered Against Atrocities

WASHINGTON, September 12.—(Associated Press by Federal Wireless)—Following the arrival here of the official Belgian commission, sent to protest to the United States against alleged German atrocities in the Belgian campaign, come new charges and counter-charges of violations of the rules of war.

The Belgians bring charges of wholesale executions of non-belligerents by the Germans, of violations of the Red Cross regulations, of torturing prisoners and of butchering the wounded.

The German Emperor has telegraphed a general denial of the charges, and has entered charges of atrocities against the Belgians, French and British, accusing the latter of the use of dum-dum bullets.

## INDICATION POINT TO BOLIBONS BREAK WITH WHITE HOUSE

House and Senate Leaders Talk  
One Way and Adminis-  
tration Another

By Ernest G. Walker.  
(Mail Special to The Advertiser)  
WASHINGTON, August 28.—Congress and the President possibly have been straying apart of recent days. It is over comparatively secondary matters, but the need of a closer understanding is apparent. On a few topics the White House has been saying one thing, the house leaders another, and in some instances Democratic senators have been emphasizing a third version. A coming together is expected this week. Something like a defined program may take shape. The senate majority is planning to do this in its own behalf and conclusions will probably be reached only after there has been one more talk with the President and with the legislators at the south end of the Capitol.

Presumably the country cares not a whit whether congress is to sit until October 1 or till December when the regular session would begin. But it is a matter of some moment to the administration and to about 300 representatives and senators who are quarreling before their constituencies. Within a few days the President has telegraphed his opinion that congress may well adjourn as soon as the anti-trust program is completed. Speaker Clark and Representative Underwood have been saying it seemed impossible for congress to adjourn at all till March 4, when the life of this congress expires. The President has been given the lie by an October recess just before the November voting. Senator Keen, caucus chairman, has expressed doubts about October adjournment.

May Abandon Railway Bill  
The railway-subsidy bill, which the house passed weeks ago, along with other anti-trust bills, probably will be abandoned by the President and the senate. The formal word will be that must be given by the Democratic caucus by way of amendment to the program adopted at a "legislative" session. The President has been saying that the bill is "dead" and that the senate will not touch it. The bill is "dead" and that the senate will not touch it. The bill is "dead" and that the senate will not touch it.

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Revenue Measure Unsatisfactory  
Opinion is that the revenue bill will be pretty thoroughly rejected. The Republicans will demand scrutiny and discussion, on the ground that the emergency is not of a character to call for speedy action. When one brings an congressional work yet to be done, there is always the rivers and harbors bill, the pending tariff bill, the tariff bill, the President's attitude on that is a matter of conjecture. Indeed that has been true of Presidents and this bill for some years. The Democratic caucus of the senate now stands pledged to pass that bill at this session. There are many senators, interested in particular projects, and determined to see that the pledge is kept. Several other bills, otherwise they have been introduced. Senator Burton, who is fighting the bill with all his might, ability, has not succeeded. His purpose is to exhaust the resources of senate opposition. On the other hand, it has been proposed that with the abolition of revenue by the cessation of customs imports from Europe, it would not be wise to amend the tariff bill, and that the necessary work should be put to a resolution retaining appropriations for certain important projects.

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## SAVANT SEEKS ORIGIN OF HAWAIIANS

Prof. Felix von Luschan Arrives  
For Research Work in Con-  
nection With His Study of  
Mystifying Polynesian Race

SCIENTIST IS GUEST OF  
DOCTOR W. T. BRIGHAM

Skeletons of Large Bodies Re-  
cently Found on Island of Ha-  
waii May Help Visitor Settle  
Theories Relative to Heredity

Prof. Felix von Luschan of the University of Berlin, the world's foremost anthropologist, arrived in Honolulu yesterday morning by the Oceanic steamer "Hawaii" to continue his inquiries into the secret of the origin of the Polynesian race.

Fresh from the enthusiastic sessions of the British Association for the Advancement of Science, which have just been held in different cities of Australia, Professor von Luschan has come to Hawaii to make his first scientific investigations into the anthropological evidences here.

Dr. W. T. Brigham of the Bishop Museum is acting as the host of Professor von Luschan. Doctor Brigham will assist the German savant in his studies here. Together they will make measurements of the bones of early Hawaiians, and in other ways collect data in support of Professor Luschan's theory on the origin of the Polynesian race.

Much of the interest in the anthropological discussions in the late sessions of the British Association for the Advancement of Science centered on the unsettled question of the origin of the Polynesian race, of which the Hawaiians are a branch. Dr. W. T. Brigham of the University of Oxford and Professor von Luschan contributed largely to the subject.

That the Polynesians originally were a composition of Mongolian and Hindu, with a slight Caucasian influence, was the opinion generally agreed upon by the scientists assembled in Australia, and that the race originated in Indonesia.

Professor von Luschan has contributed much to science on the Polynesian race subject, but this is the first time his studies have brought him here.

Anthropologists all over the world will eagerly await the results of the German scientist's investigations here. Being at the head of his branch of science, his conclusions undoubtedly will be given full credit.

### Giants Once Lived Here

Within the last few months skeletons of large bodies have been found on Hawaii, apparently indicating that at one time another men of unusually large stature lived on these Islands. What influence, if any, these discoveries will have on the studies of the professor is not known now. At the Bishop Museum there are numerous skeletons of Hawaiians of the early days, and these may be sufficient for the purposes of the savant.

Science as far as any unsuccessful fully rapid with the mystery of the Polynesian race's beginning. Numerous theories have been advanced, only to be set aside one by one.

A party leader under a good luck star has been rising noticeably of late. For a while there was such depression about the state of Washington, counting that looks to politics for a livelihood. Everything seemed going to the howl for Democrats. Confidence about retaining a majority even in the house, now two to one Democratic, was shaken. The country seemed to be giving ear to Republican criticism and making ready for a swing back to the grand old party.

Material for Democrats  
But this has been measurably changing within the last fortnight. The outcome of the Mexican revolution and the contrast between the President's policy toward it and the activities of European diplomats gave the Democrats something to talk about. They talked it in the state campaigns, which have been under way, and felt that the popular response was strong. They profess to believe that the President has looked as a safe official, during the emergency period and find themselves in a far better position than they ever dreamed of to make their campaign for the selection of a Democratic House and a Democratic Senate. They had supposed the administration would be thrust on the defensive as to tariff, currency, Panama Canal and other topics. Now it seems that all these things are to be in the background. In short the campaign is to be waged much upon the European War.

Few Speeches by President  
The President had been planning to make a number of political speeches during the autumn, plainly for the purpose of getting the record of his administration squarely before the people. It is now said that he will make few, if any, speeches, feeling that the political situation calls for no special exertion by him.

Moreover the vitality of the Bull Moose movement assures the Democratic brethren. The Third Party appears still to be strong in vote. But a canvass of States shows Democratic defection only here and there. New York will probably go Republican and it will be a sad thing to the Democracy. But Roosevelt and the Republicans have failed to effect a juncture, which means some consolation.

## DIPLOMAT DECLARES WAR CANNOT LAST

German Consul General To Syd-  
ney Thinks Kaiser Will Win  
European Conflict

(From Saturday Advertiser.)

"In my judgment the war will not last long. I expect to see it come to an end soon, with Germany the victor."

Dr. Richard Kiliani, German consul-general to Sydney, Australia, made this statement yesterday afternoon just before leaving on the Ventura for the mainland. During his brief visit here he was the guest of Georg Rodiek, the local German consul, and the chamber of commerce.

Under guard for three weeks in Australia, Doctor Kiliani took the first American steamer possible out of Sydney, which appeared to be the Ventura, after the declaration of war by England.

Was Held Under Guard  
"While I was under this guard they showed me every possible courtesy. They asked that I leave the country, but I could not do so, as I was in the hands of the enemy. They offered to be of whatever assistance possible to me. They allowed me to select my own guard, who was to see that I did not do injury to the country's cause."

"I have called to Berlin and expect to receive instructions from my government when I arrive in New York. At any rate, I shall wait there for instructions. I don't see how the war can last long. Germany steadily is drawing the lines closer together. France soon will be in need of food, and the same is true of the other countries associated together with her in this war."

Alles Will Went Peace  
"I am very well acquainted with the Near East and the Far East, having represented my country there in its diplomatic service for years. Being familiar with both divisions of the continent, I have a good idea of how the war will be fought. I believe they will be the first to want peace."

Doctor Kiliani has been in the German consulate service for thirty-five years. He is well known in Europe and Asia and has many friends in America.

KINGSTON, Jamaica, September 12.—(Associated Press by Federal Wireless)—The Hamburg liner Bethunia, which was captured two days out of Charleston, carried 600 tons of coal and six months' supplies for the German cruisers Dresden and Karlsruhe. The crew of the Bethunia was composed of 500 German naval reservists.

### The Praise Continues

Everywhere We Hear Good Reports of  
Doan's Backache Kidney Pills.

Every section of the United States rejoices with praise of Doan's Backache Kidney Pills. Thirty thousand persons are giving testimony in their home newspapers. Sincerity of these witnesses is the best proof of the merit of Doan's. Read the following case.

Mrs. William McGregor, 311 Little St., Bendleton, Oregon, says: "I was troubled more or less all my life by weakness of the kidneys. My hands and feet swelled and sometimes my whole body bloated. There was a steady pain in the small of my back and sides, and when doing my work it was hard for me to straighten after stooping. When I did stoop, sharp twinges shot through my back and sides. Dizzy spells and headaches were common, and I couldn't rest well. In the morning I felt all tired out. It would be hard to describe the misery I went through. I tried many remedies and spent a great deal of money for doctors' treatment, but got no relief. Finally I saw Doan's Backache Kidney Pills advertised, and the first box I used helped me. Continued use cured the aches and pain in my back and regulated the action of my kidneys. Doan's Backache Kidney Pills gave me a complete and permanent cure, and I am now in good health. I am glad to confirm all I have said about Doan's Backache Kidney Pills, when I have publicly endorsed them before."

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